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FILED: March 4, 1998 EXAMINER: VERDIER, C.

FOR: FIELD-SERVICEABLE SOLIDS HANDLING VERTICAL
TURBINE PUMP

**REQUESTION FOR RECONSIDERATION IN LIGHT
OF 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 DECLARATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

February 14, 2000

Sir:

Further in reply to the Office Action dated July 7, 1999 with a three month extension of time being previously requested, the following remarks and accompanying Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Claims 1-16, 19-21 and 24-26 are pending in the present reissue application. Claims 17, 18, 22 and 23 have been cancelled.

Initially, applicants note that the Reply filed January 7, 2000 is fully responsive to the July 7, 1999 Office Action. This Supplemental Request For Reconsideration is being filed to provide objective evidence of non-obviousness and thereby strengthen applicants' arguments against the 35 U.S.C. § 103 Springer

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February 14, 2000

Transmitted herewith is Request for Reconsideration in the above-identified application.

- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via the Certificate of Mailing provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.8.
- ☐ The enclosed document is being transmitted via facsimile.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	22	-	24	=	0	\$18	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	2	-	5	=	0	\$78	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE CLAIM						\$260	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00


- ☒ Petition for three (3) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$870.00 for the extension of time were paid on January 7, 2000.
- ☒ No fee is required.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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